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Shigeru KINOSHITA)	Examiner: S.M.R. HUI
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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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November 23, 2001, for which a one month extension of
time to respond is hereby requested, please enter the
following amendment:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, please amend the last paragraph lines
26-28 through page 2 lines 1-4 as follows:

At present, potent drugs such as steroids and
cyclosporin A are used to inhibit immunoreaction in the
skin or cornea, but these drugs are inappropriate for use
before inflammation occurs because of their various side
effects. Therefore, there is a demand for development of
a drug with less side effects that can be safely used
before inflammation occurs.

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